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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated March 7, 2007, setting a three-month term for reply.